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Mr. Dan Wall U. S. Environmental Protection Agency Region VII 726 Minnesota Avenue Kansas City, Kansas 66101

June 9, 2000

Dear Mr. Wall:

Monthly Progress Report – May 2000 West Lake (Bridgeton) Landfill, Operable Unit 2 RI/FS

On behalf of Laidlaw Waste Systems, Inc. (Laidlaw), Herst & Associates, Inc. has prepared the following progress report in accordance with Section XIII, Paragraph 39 of the Administrative Order on Consent (Consent Order), EPA Docket No. VII-94-F-0025. The progress report describes activities conducted in May 2000.

I. ACTIONS TAKEN TO COMPLY WITH THE CONSENT ORDER

A monthly progress report was submitted to EPA. Preparation of the RI Report and FS Report continued in May.

II. VALIDATED RESULTS RECEIVED

No validated data were received in May.

III. WORK PLANNED DURING JUNE AND JULY 2000

Preparation of the RI Report and FS Report will continue in June. It is anticipated that the RI Report will be submitted in early June to the EPA.

IV. MATERIAL PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED OR ANTICIPATED MATERIAL DELAYS

No material problems or delays were encountered in May and none are anticipated for June or July.



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Sincerely,

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Managing Director

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